

REMARKS

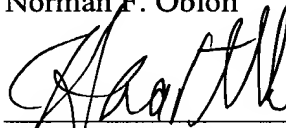
Applicants respectfully call the Examiner's attention to the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed June 8, 2004. The Examiner is respectfully requested to initial the Form PTO 1449 submitted therewith, and include a copy thereof with the next Office communication.

The claims are now limited to allowed subject matter. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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